

# Life

*Fills the cracks  
in the universe.  
with the random beauty of*

*Impatiens, red and purple*

*between the stones  
of my garden  
and  
the omnipresence of*

*weeds and more weeds  
among my junipers*

*and the bustling  
people and their vehicles  
on city streets*

*and the rumbling conveyances below*

*and creates  
tepees and tenements*

*To hold the overflow.*

*Life sees itself as the end of creation, but*

*maybe it's just filling the cracks*

*in*

*an imperfect world.*

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